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RE: Monsanto Elemental Phosphorus Plant Super Fund Site
Public Comment

Dear Mr. Brincefield:

Although I did not attend the public hearing held in Soda Springs, Idaho on August 13, 1996, I have read the material that you or Monsanto sent to my mother, Charlotte Gunnell, dated 29 July 1996, and have talked to her and to my brother, Robert, both of whom did attend the meeting.

I have also just read the letter Robert sent to you, dated September 3, 1996, and I just wanted to let you know that I am in full agreement with his letter. If I could write any more clearly or forcefully than he has concerning our position on (1) our objection to restricting certain uses of private property, and (2) the necessity for cleaning up the contaminated property by excavation, removal, and replacement, I would do so. But his letter is clear and direct and I just add my concurrence.

Sincerely,


E. Leroy Gunnell

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